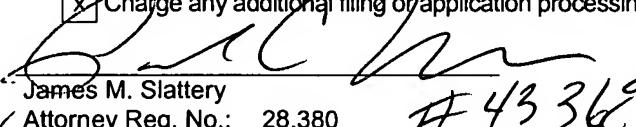




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Application No. 10/511,154-Conf. #9169		Filing Date October 14, 2004		Examiner J. Hwu	
Art Unit 1661					
Applicant(s): Tatsuo AKAI et al.					
Invention: SYSTEM FOR TRANSFORMING PLANTS					
<b>MS Amendment</b> <b>Commissioner for Patents</b> <b>P.O. Box 1450</b> <b>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed September 6, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks